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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

It would appear that this is to be a blanket fee effecting all users of wireless phone service regardless of their intent of service. I would hope upon further investigation that the FCC would find "unlimited usage" and "high volume" wireless phone users are the more prominent interstate callers then compared to low-volume users. The fee described should be targeted towards higher volume users as these types of users are more reliant on their phone service and more readily accept and afford such increases. A targeted fee is a more appropriate action. I hope the FCC will take the time to find a different resolution to the proposed fees and find the group to whom the "shoe fits".  
Thankyou.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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